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**MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL STATE DIRECTORS; ME THROUGH NC**

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**SUBJECT: WEEKLY SUMMER FLOUNDER QUOTA REPORT (NO.10)**

**1999 SUMMER FLOUNDER REPORT (POUNDS)**

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 13-Mar-99	Cumulative Total (to Date)	1999 Quotas	Landed %
ME	0	0	121	4,908	2.5
NH	0	0	0	51	0.0
MA	0	1,000	38,458	757,842	5.1
RI	2,899	66,760	510,205	1,742,583	29.3
CT	0	7,744	99,228	250,791	39.6
NY	593	4,638	187,529	793,748	23.6
NJ	0	1,312	684,223	1,852,637	36.9
DE	0	0	0	-23,194	0.0
MD	0	1,949	9,791	223,124	4.4
VA	7,831	4,956	1,113,746	2,210,269	50.4
NC	119	103	2,210,511	3,044,589	72.6
Totals	11,442	88,462	4,853,812	10,880,542	44.6

**Notes:**

Numbers in parentheses are negative.

The total quota reflects pounds available for landings in states with quota. States with negative allocations have zero (0) pounds of quota available.

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.

The following summary is updated as information is received, and may not reflect recent state actions. Readers are urged to contact the appropriate state agency for further information.

State/ Commonwealth	Closure status	Trip/Possession Limits (pounds)	Other Provisions/ Pending Changes	State Contact
Maine				Kerry Lyons 207-633-9510
New Hampshire				603-868-1095
Massachusetts		1000 lb	Effective 3/22/99 - 3/31/99	Dave Pierce 617-727-3193
Rhode Island		1,000 lb		Richard Sisson 401-789-3094
Connecticut		400 lb	Effective 0001 hrs on 3/12/99	Deb Shake 860-434-6043
New York		Effective 3/7/99 vessels may only land or possess summer flounder 10% by weight of other species on board or 200 lbs		John Mason 516-444-0453
New Jersey	State	Effective 1/2/99 vessels may only land or possess summer flounder 10% by weight of other species on board or 200 lbs		Tom McCloy 609-292-2083
Delaware				Rick Cole 302-739-4782
Maryland		2,000 lb for vessels with Maryland summer flounder landing permit	For vessels without a Maryland summer flounder landing permit, 200 lb from the Atlantic Coast and 100 lb from the Chesapeake Bay	Harley Speir 410-260-8303
Virginia	State	2,500 lb until 85% of 2 <sup>nd</sup> quota has landed	Effective 0001 hrs on 4/1/99	Lewis Gillingham 757-247-2243
North Carolina	State		Effective 2/20/99	Fentress "Red" Munden, 919-726-7021